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UNDER 37 CFR §1.56

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Note (for the cited literature, see the List of Cited Literature)

Claims 1, 5 and 6

Cited Literature 1 and 2

Remarks

Cited Literature 1 states that a control station stores the intermittent mode settings of a mobile station, and instructs the mobile station to change from intermittent mode to real-time mode when an incoming communication is of the real-time type, e.g. a voice call. Cited Literature 2 describes setting intermittent reception mode under the control of a mobile station.

Claims 3

Cited Literature 1–3

Remarks

Cited Literature 3 (see paragraphs 99–100) describes measuring the packet data transmission frequency, and going into sleep mode and notifying a gateway when time-out occurs due to the transmission frequency being below a prescribed value.

Claims 4

Cited Literature 1–3

List of Cited Literature

1. Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication H09–083427
2. Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication H10–135893
3. Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication H11–313370

Document B1 is a U.S. counterpart of Document B4.

Applicants respectfully request that each listed document be considered by the Examiner and be made of record in the present application and that an initialed copy of Form PTO/SB/08 be returned in accordance with MPEP §609.

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